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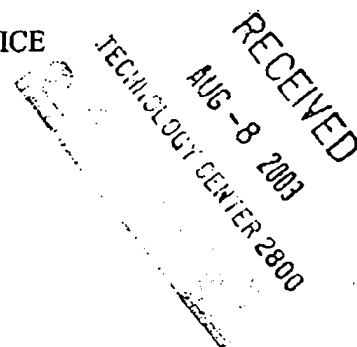
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Donald E. Schreiber  
Serial No. : 09/729,336  
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Title : FLEXIBLE, MODULAR, COMPACT FIBER OPTIC SWITCH

Art Unit : 2874  
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO ACTION OF JULY 2, 2003

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